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Sir:

This is in response to the office action mailed August 22, 2007. A Petition for extension of time together with payment is being mailed to the USPTO on this date (December 20, 2007).

Please consider the following in response to the office action of August 22, 2007.